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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Sir:

Submitted herewith for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark  
Office is the following:

- (1) Transmittal Letter;
- (2) PTO Form-1082;
- (3) 44 page Application consisting of:
  - 30 pages Textual Specification
  - 7 pages of 28 claims
  - 1 page containing the Abstract of the Disclosure
  - 6 sheets drawings;
- (4) Preliminary Amendment;
- (5) Unexecuted Declaration/Power of Attorney;
- (6) Postcard for early notification of serial number.

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**TRANSMITTAL FOR NEW U.S. PATENT APPLICATION**

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Re: New U.S. Patent Application  
For: **MICRO- AND NANO-PARTICULATE DRUGS AND METHODS OF  
MAKING THEREOF**

Inventor(s): Benford Arlie BOGUE  
Attorney Docket: 24720

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Attached hereto is the application identified above, including:

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1 Abstract of the Disclosure  
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X Preliminary Amendment  
   Executed Inventor's Declaration  
X Unexecuted Inventor's Declaration  
   Assignment and cover sheet  
   Priority Document  
   Information Disclosure Statement

The Government filing fee\* is calculated as follows:  
Total Claims . . . . . 28 - 20 = 8 x \$18.00 = \$144.00  
Independent Claims . . . . .    - 3 = 0 x \$84.00 = \$ 0.00  
Base Fee . . . . .    . . . . . \$740.00  
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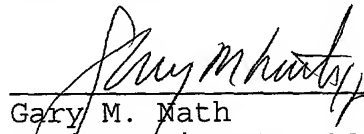
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- ☒ \*Reduced by one-half, as applicant(s) is/are a "small entity". Applicant asserts eligibility for Small Entity Status under 37 CFR § 1.27.
- ☒ Benefit is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) from U.S. Provisional Patent Application(s) No. 60/308,567 filed July 31, 2001.
- ☐ Foreign priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 from \_\_\_\_\_ Patent Application(s) No. \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_.
- ☐ Priority document(s) will be submitted at a later date.
- ☐ Priority document(s) is/are submitted herewith.
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